

**Maine Revised Statutes**  
**Title 10: COMMERCE AND TRADE**  
**Chapter 204: BUSINESS PRACTICES BETWEEN MOTOR**  
**VEHICLE MANUFACTURERS, DISTRIBUTORS AND DEALERS**

**§1177. UNREASONABLE RESTRICTIONS**

It shall be unlawful directly or indirectly to impose unreasonable restrictions on the motor vehicle dealer or franchisee relative to transfer, sale, right to renew, termination, discipline, noncompetition covenants, site-contract whether by sublease, collateral pledge of lease, or otherwise, right of first refusal to purchase, option to purchase, compliance with subjective standards and assertion of legal or equitable rights. [ 1975, c. 573, (NEW) . ]

**SECTION HISTORY**

1975, c. 573, (NEW) .

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